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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

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Applicant has carefully reviewed and considered the Final Office Action mailed on February 8, 2008, and the references cited therewith. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows. Applicant's Remarks follow the amendments.

This first reply is being filed within three months of the mailing date of the Final Office Action. If necessary and not otherwise provided, please consider this a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for the necessary number of months for filing these papers in the above-identified application. Please charge any necessary fee or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502931.